

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace paragraph 45 in the application as published with the following:

In one embodiment, the ink drops 118 travel along a path 120 and are deposited on a print surface 122. The type of print surface 122 on which the ink drops 118 are deposited may be of little relevance to certain embodiments of the present invention. In a further embodiment, the path 120 of the ink drops 118 may be influenced or modified by deflection plates 101 (~~not shown~~ see FIG. 1), for example, or another type of path modifier. One embodiment of deflection plates 101 may include a pair of electrically conductive plates approximately aligned in parallel with the ink path 120. The conductive plates, when energized, may direct the ink drops 118 in certain directions, such as toward or away from one plate or the other.